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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 23, 2004**

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: )  
Tai Anh Cao, et al. ) Confirmation No. 6378  
Serial No.: 09/640,802 ) Group Art Unit: 2634  
Filed: August 17, 2000 ) Examiner: Ted M. Wang  
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This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2004,  
in the above-identified application, and is filed within the three-month shortened statutory period  
for response set forth in the Office Action.

Please amend the application as follows: